

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## BOX PATENT APPLICATION

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a new utility patent  
application of: **Bill KWONG**

Title of Invention: **UNIVERSAL STORAGE INTERFACE BUS**

Enclosed are:

A specification and 10 claims.

Two (2) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-2).

A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

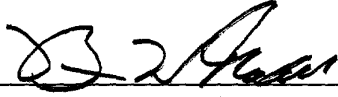
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BASIC FEE			<u>\$355.00</u>	<u>\$710.00</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 - 20 =	<u>0</u>	\$ 9. _____	\$18. _____
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